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In re Application of:

Examiner: Matthew J. Sked

Payne, et al.

Art Unit: 2655

Application No.: 09/965,230

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For: COLOR AS A VISUAL CUE IN

SPEECH-ENABLED APPLICATIONS

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COLOR DRAWINGS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2)

Dear Sir or Madam:

On September 25, 2001, Applicants submitted a Petition for Acceptance of Color Drawings under 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b). Applicants included three sets of color drawings (each set having five sheets and five figures). To date, Applicants have received no Decision on the Petition.

By the foregoing Petition, Applicants hereby submit a Petition for Acceptance of Color Drawings under 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2). Three sets of color drawings and the petition fee of \$130.00 is enclosed. Applicants respectfully submit that the Specification in paragraph [0004] includes the language specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.84(a)(2)(iv).

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Applicants respectfully request that the Petition be accepted because in embodiments of the present invention color is used as a visual cue to inform a user as to which commands are speech-enabled within an application or an application screen.

Respectfully submitted,

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